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NLM's plan for augmenting Go Local to provide emergency preparedness and recovery
information is a three-phased approach.
- Phase I – NLM hosted sites, for which NLM maintains the hardware, software
  vocabulary, and mapping between the Go Local sites and MedlinePlus.
- Phase II – Locally hosted sites, which maintain their own hardware, software and
  database for hosting, mapping, and displaying the records.
- Phase III - Geographic areas not currently served by Go Local.

Phase I – NLM hosted sites

Identifying Records
Traditional Go Local Records – Already in the System
NLM hosted sites will identify records already in the system that would be helpful in
disaster preparedness and recovery and mark these records as Emergency
Preparedness and/or Recovery Resources by selecting a checkbox.

Non-Traditional Records – Not Already in the System
Go Local sites can also create 'Emergency Only Records' that will prominently display
during an event. Emergency Only Records are out of scope for Go Local under normal
circumstances, but would be appropriate for a disaster or emergency. They might
contain minimal information – location, phone number, brief statement, etc.

Display Options
For each record, the NLM hosted site will be able to select one or more of the following
options:
- Emergency Preparedness display
- Recovery Resource display
- Emergency Only Resources

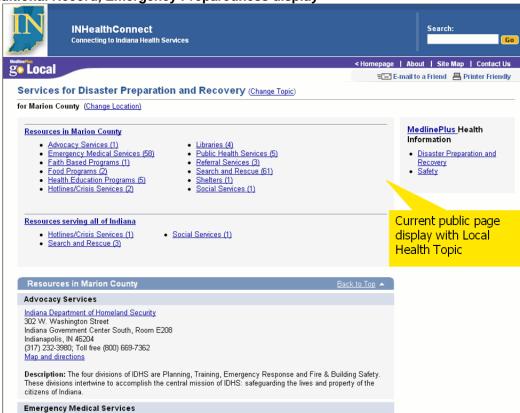## Phase II – Locally hosted sites
After establishing the system for NLM hosted sites, NLM will be able to provide
guidelines to locally hosted sites. Based on lessons learned from Phase I, the sites
would be able to identify records as Emergency Preparedness or Recovery Resources
and add Emergency Only resources as appropriate.

Phase III – Non-Go Local areas
NLM will use Phase I and II experience to provide information to those areas not
covered by Go Local. NLM will work with the Regional Medical Libraries for those areas.

Examples, Phase I (NLM-hosted sites)

Traditional Record, Emergency Preparedness display

Emergency Only Record, Recovery Resource display